

CENTER FOR THE ARTS

LOCATED IN THE BLOOMINGTON CIVIC PLAZA AT THE CORNER OF WEST 98TH STREET AND Old Shakopee Road, the Center for the Arts is a first-class facility housing eight arts organizations. For facility information, call 952-563-8881. For events, call 952-563-8567.

EXHIBITIONS

BLOOMINGTON ART CENTER

952-563-4777

ATRIUM GALLERY, SECOND FLOOR

Running through **December 31**, **The Wood and I** features artist Heidi Henderson.

**Geography of Longing** with artist Susan Armington runs **January 6 - March 4**. The opening reception will be Friday, January 7, from 7 - 9 p.m.

GALLERY HOURS

Monday - Friday 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.  
Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
Sunday 1 p.m. - 10 p.m.

INEZ GREENBERG GALLERY

Running through **January 7**, **Holiday Shores** features artists Carl Corey and Peter Zylstra.  
From **January 14 - February 18**, **Contradictions: Hidden Truths** features artists Michael Bernstein, Jim Davis, Wayne Roosa and Kenneth Steinbach. The opening reception will be Friday, January 14, from 6 - 8 p.m.

BLACK BOX THEATER

A DICKENS’ CHRISTMAS CAROL

A Radio Theater Live! presentation of Charles Dickens’ classic holiday tale will be presented at **7:30 p.m., Thursday - Saturday, December 9 - 11, and December 16 - 18 and Sunday, December 19\***, at **2 p.m.** \*ASL interpreted. Cost is \$7.



JACQUES BREL IS ALIVE AND WELL AND LIVING IN PARIS

North Star Opera’s cabaret revue, 23 Brel songs and ballads presented without dialogue, will be held **Thursday - Saturday, February 10 - 12, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, February 13, at 2 p.m.** Tickets range from \$18 to \$32. Purchase tickets at [www.ticketworks.com](http://www.ticketworks.com) or call 651-209-6689.

SCHNEIDER THEATER



CONTINENTAL BALLET

Continental Ballet Company will perform The Nutcracker ballet on **Friday, December 10 and 17, and Saturday, December 11, at 7:30 p.m., and Saturday - Sunday, December 11 - 12, at 3 p.m.** Tickets are \$17 adults; \$14 seniors/ students; \$8 for children under age 13. For reservations, call 952-563-8562.

THURSDAY MUSICAL

The 2004-05 Thursday Morning Artist Series’ classical music concerts are performed on **Thursdays, December 16, January 13 and 27, and February 10 and 17, at 10:30 a.m.** Tickets are \$10 each. Season ticket membership for 14 concerts is \$55; \$45 seniors, age 65 and older. For more information, call 612-333-0313 or visit [www.thursdaymusical.com](http://www.thursdaymusical.com).



BLOOMINGTON CHORALE

Bloomington Chorale and special guests present **Angelica Cantanti Children’s Voices on Sunday, December 19, at 7:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$10 adults; \$7 seniors/students; free for children under 10. For information, call 952-563-8582.

HOLIDAY MUSIC SHOW

The senior program’s Holiday Music Show will be held on Tuesday, December 21. *See page 7.*

BLOOMINGTON CIVIC THEATRE A CHORUS LINE

Drop in on a Broadway audition and see the heart and soul of the dancers “going” for the role of a lifetime. Performances are **Thursdays - Saturdays at 7:30 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m., January 27 - February 20**. For tickets, visit [www.bloomingtoncivictheatre.org](http://www.bloomingtoncivictheatre.org). or call 952-563-8575.

2004-2005 OUTDOOR SKATING RINKS

PARKS AND RECREATION WILL OPERATE 15 OUTDOOR ICE SKATING SITES THIS WINTER. Facilities include a lighted general skating rink, a hockey rink and a heated park shelter for changing skates and warming up. Each site is supervised by a Parks and Recreation employee during public skating hours. Weather permitting, park shelters will open Wednesday, December 22, 2004, and close Sunday, February 13, 2005.



LOCATIONS AND FEATURES

PARK	ADDRESS	PHONE	RINK			SHELTER	
			General	Hockey	Floodlights	Temporary	Permanent
Brookside	10000 Xerxes Ave. S.	952-835-6752	●	●	●		●
Bryant	1001 W. 85th St.	952-884-5457	●	●	●		●
Brye	10500 Xavier Ave. S.	952-888-1834	●	●	●		●
Haeg	8301 Penn Ave. S.		●	●	●	●	
Kelly	185 E. 102nd St.	952-881-9691	●	●	●		●
Oak Grove	1301 W. 104th St.		●	●	●	●	
Poplar Bridge	4600 W. 85th St.	952-831-1584	●	●	●		●
Running	9501 12th Ave. S.	952-881-9641	●	2	●		●
Southglen	10701 Rich Road		●	●	●		
Southwood	4800 Terracewood Dr.		●	●	●	●	
Sunrise	9401 Blmgtn. Ferry Rd.	952-829-1685	●	●	●		●
Westwood	3490 W. 109th St.	952-884-5519	●	2	●		●

▲ Temporary shelters are heated, with unheated “satellite” restrooms and no running water.

Logan, Ridgeview and Tarnhill have general skating rinks for day use only.

RINK SHELTER HOURS

DAY OF WEEK	REGULAR	HOLIDAY
	January 3 - February 13, 2005	December 22, 2004 - January 2, 2005 January 17, 2005
Parks: Running, Westwood		
M - F	4 - 9 p.m.	1 - 9 p.m.
Sa	11 a.m - 9 p.m.	11 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Su	1 - 9 p.m.	1 - 9 p.m.
Parks: Brookside, Bryant, Brye, Haeg, Kelly, Oak Grove, Poplar Bridge, Southglen, Southwood, Sunrise		
M - F	4 - 8 p.m.	1 - 8 p.m.
Sa	11 a.m. - 5 p.m.	11 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Su	1 - 5 p.m.	1 - 5 p.m.
* December 24, 2004	All park shelters closed.	
* December 25, 2004	All park shelters closed.	
* December 31, 2004	All shelters open, 1 - 5 p.m.	
* January 1, 2005	Shelters open, 1 - 5 p.m., at Poplar Bridge, Running, Sunrise and Westwood.	
* January 17, 2005	All shelters open, holiday hours.	